

FORM PTO-1390 (REV 07-2005)		ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER 4439-4041
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (USE FORM 37 FOR US) 10/574056 TBA
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PCT/JP2004/014474	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 01 October 2004 (01.10.2004)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 02 October 2003 (02.10.03)
TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD FOR PRODUCING ESTER CONDENSED PRODUCT		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Kazuaki ISHIHARA and Hisashi YAMAMOTO		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>3. <input type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</p> <p>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected. (Article 31).</p> <p>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</p> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</p> <p>6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (Specification: 32 pgs.; Claims: 6 pgs.; Abstract: 1 pg.; and 1 Sheet of Formal Drawing (Fig. 1)).</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</p> <p>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</p> <p>d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</p> <p>Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</p> <p>11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, Form PTO-1449, with a copy of all cited references.</p> <p>12. <input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</p> <p>13. <input type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.</p> <p>14. <input type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.</p> <p>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</p> <p>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.</p> <p>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 with the paper copy of the sequence listings: 7 pgs. and Sequence Listing Statement.</p> <p>18. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>20. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or Information:</p>		
Copies of: PCT Request document; Forms: PCT/RO/106; PCT/ISA/202; PCT/ISA/210; PCT/ISA/220; PCT/ISA/237; PCT/IB/301; PCT/IB/304, PCT/IB/308; PCT/IB/311 and published PCT application Publication Number WO 2005/033060 A1, published on 14 April 2005.		

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The following fees have been submitted 21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basic national fee \$300 22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examination fee If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33 (1)-(4) \$0 All other situations \$200 23. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Search fee If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the International preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1) - (4) \$0 Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority \$100 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB \$400 All other situations \$500 TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 = \$ 900				CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY
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Total claims	32 - 20 =	- 12	x \$50.00	\$ 600	
Independent claims	2 - 3 =	- 0	x \$200.00	\$----	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$360.00	\$ 360	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.					
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Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property				+	
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =					
				Amount to be refunded:	\$
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a. <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above fees is enclosed. b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>13-4500 (Order No. 4439-4041)</u> in the amount of \$ <u>1,860</u> to cover the above fees. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>13-4500 (Order No. 4439-4041)</u> . d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Enter Address Here Morgan & Finnegan, L.L.P. 3 World Financial Center New York, New York 10281-2101 Tel: (212) 415-8700 Fax: (212) 415-8701					
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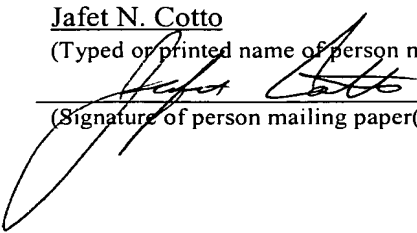
I hereby certify that the following attached paper(s) and/or fee

- a. Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. § 371, duly executed (2 pages);
- b. A copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. § 154(d)(4); Publication No. WO 2005/033060;
- c. English Translation of the International Application (Specification: 32 pgs.; Claims: 6 pgs.; Abstract: 1 pg.; and Drawings: Sheets - Fig. 1);
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- e. Information Disclosure Statement;
- f. Forms PTO-1449A and PTO-1449B with copy of all cited references; and
- g. A return receipt postcard.

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